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SUBJECT: CYPRUS: CUNES' DEPARTURE STATEMENT FROM ANKARA

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1. TURKISH FOREIGN MINISTER GUNES, DURING HIS DEPARTURE AUGUST 8 FROM ANKARA FOR SECOND ROUND GENEVA TALKS ON CYPRUS, COMMENTED TO PRESS THAT TURKEY HAD NO INTENTION OF PROLONGING THE CONFERENCE FOR "GREAT LENGTH OF TIME". GUNES CONTINUED THAT IT WOULD BE SOON EVIDENT (OTHER REPORTS SAY "ONE OR TWO DAYS") WHETHER GREEKS AND THE GREEK CYPRIOTS REALLY WANTED A CYPRUS SOLUTION. AS FOR TURKS, GUNES COMMENTED HE WAS GOING TO CONFERENCE WITH GOOD WILL.

HE NOTED, HOWEVER, THAT DECLARATION SIGNED AT FIRST GENEVA CONFERENCE HAS NOT BEEN FULLY IMPLEMENTED BY "THE OPPOSITE SIDE". GUNES CLAIMED THAT GREEK PRESS CAMPAIGN HAS BEEN TRYING TO CREATE VIEWPOINT THAT TURKS HAVE NOT COMPLIED WITH CEASE-FIRE. HE URGED GREEKS TO "ABANDON THAT COURSE"

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IN NEW TALKS AND INSTEAD ATTEMPT TO SEEK SOLUTION TO PROBLEMS.

2. IN STRONG CONCLUSION, GUNES SAID TURKEY WOULD NOT WASTE
ITS TIME ON DISCUSSION OF IRRELEVANT MATTERS.
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